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IN REPLY REFER TO: 3809 (UTW011) U-77838

MAY 0 5 2010

Mr. Gerald L Madsen PO Box 220289 Centerfield, UT 84622

RE: Reclamation Sureties for your Exploration Notice

Dear Mr. Madsen:

On April 5, 2010, the Bureau of Land Management's (BLM) Salt Lake Field Office received your request for the release of your reclamation sureties for your Exploration Notice serialized 77838.

In your letter you requested the release of \$8,000.00, when in fact the amount being held at this time is \$8,200.00. Our records indicate that you and Mr. Ron Vincent were partners at the time the exploration notice and the \$10,200.00 bond were submitted and that Mr. Vincent requested and received the release of \$2,000.00 of that bond in May of 2009.

The BLM and the Utah Division of Oil, Gas and Mining (UDOGM), have been holding the remainder of the bond until it's determined that there has been successful re-growth of the vegetation on the areas disturbed by your exploration activities. At this time, because the re-vegetation does not meet our (BLM, UDOGM) standards the BLM could release \$6,000.00 of the \$8,200.00 as long as you get concurrence from UDOGM. We would continue to hold the \$1,200.00 until it is determined that successful re-growth of vegetation has occurred.

Although, either you or Mr. Vincent may request the release of the bond money, because our records show that Mr. Vincent submitted the cash bond, any monies released will be sent to the mailing address on record for Mr. Vincent.

Please notify this office if you want us to proceed with the release of the \$6,000.00 portion of the \$8,200.00 bond. If you have any questions, or require additional information, please contact Larry Garahana of my staff at (801) 977-4371.

Sincerely,

Michael G. Nelson
Assistant Field Manager,
Nonrenewable Resources

cc: Lynn Kunzler, UDOGM UT923 - Opie Abeyta Ron Vincent, PO Box 220504, Centerfield, UT 84622

